



Request for City Council Committee Action from the Department of Police

Date: June 19, 2013

To: Don Samuels – Chair, Public Safety, Civil Rights and Health Committee

Referral to: Ways and Means

Subject: Provide Security Services at Gopher Football Games

Recommendation: That approval be granted to enter into a contract agreement with the University of Minnesota to provide security at Gopher football games at the TCF Bank Stadium. We also request an amendment to increase the general appropriation for 2013 in the amount of \$16,000. This agreement will operate through the Revenue Fund 01210 4002700.

Previous Directives: The MPD has provided security for the Gophers football games at the TCF Bank Stadium since 2009.

Department Information

Prepared by: Wendy Guck

Approved by: Robin McPherson – Finance Director - Police

Presenters in Committee: Wendy Guck

Reviews

- Permanent Review Committee (PRC): Approval _____ Date _____
- Civil Rights Approval Approval _____ Date _____
- Policy Review Group (PRG): Approval _____ Date _____

Financial Impact *(delete all lines not applicable to your request)*

- Action requires an appropriation increase to the Capital Budget or Operating Budget
Dept Name: Police
Fund Name: 01210-4002700
Project Name & Number (if capital budget): _____
Amount: \$ 16,000
- Action provides increased revenue for appropriation increase
Dept Name: Police
Fund Name: 01210-4002700
Project Name & Number (if capital budget): _____
Amount: \$ 16,000
- Action is within the Business Plan
- Request provided to the Finance Department

Community Impact

- Neighborhood Notification
- City Goals
- Comprehensive Plan
- Zoning Code
- Other

Supporting Information

The Police Department wishes to accept funds in the amount up to \$16,000 from the University of Minnesota for services of the Bomb Unit and Canine Unit for security at 2013 home football games at the TCF Bank Stadium.

In the proposed 2013 agreement, the City indemnifies the U of M in the event of injuries or deaths from an undetected bomb. While the City is being paid \$16,000, the potentially City liability is up to \$1.5 million. This liability issue is being renegotiated for the 2014 contract.